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TAGS: ENRG, MY
SUBJECT: ADDITIONAL DRILLING BY ESSO IN COASTAL WATERS

1. PETRONAS AND ESSO MALAYSIA PRODUCTION (FORMERLY EXXON)
HAVE ISSUED A JOINT ANNOUNCEMENT THAT PETRONAS HAS APPROVED
ESSO'S PLANS TO DRILL A FURTHER 12 EXPLORATION WELLS OFF THE
COAST OF PENINSULAR MALAYSIA THIS YEAR. THE NEW AREA OF
CONCENTRATION WILL BE THE PALAS REGION AND THE WORK PROGRAM WILL
BE DESIGNED TO CONFIRM THE ENCOURAGING RESULTS FOUND IN
THE REGION EARLIER THIS YEAR.

2. COMMENT: THIS IS ANOTHER SIGN THAT PETRONAS IS GOING TO
ALLOW A MORE RAPID DEVELOPMENT OF ITS RESERVES THAN ORIGINALLY
ANTICIPATED.
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